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1. Some prisoner of war camps in Korea for United Nation troops are the following:

a. Chang Ma (壯馬)<sup>1</sup>, about 25 miles east of Sinuiju with 60 United States and 4 British officers.

b. Changdong (倉洞)<sup>2</sup>, about 20 miles east of Sinuiju.

c. Changsong (125-03, 40-30) (YE-7485) with two large barracks filled with United Nations prisoners of war.

d. Pukchin (125-45, 40-12) (YE-3453).

e. P'yongyang suburbs with 600 prisoners.

f. Pyoktong (125-26, 40-38) (YF-0600) with 6,000 United Nations troops housed in four large barracks, and a United Press correspondent

at this camp who was seriously ill in September.

2. The medical facilities in these camps are very poor. Prisoners have access to a traveling Chinese Communist doctor who occasionally visits the camps. Thirty-six percent of the prisoners in Chang Ma camp had died from disease and cruel treatment by August 1951.

1. Presumable camp at Ch'olma (125-02, 40-12) (YE-7351) which was reported in and confirmed by the Communist as Camp 10.

2. Possibly a camp at Kangdong (126-05, 39-09) (BU-4837) which was reported by the Communists as Camp 8.

3. Reference probably to. Note the existence of all camps in this list were previously announced by the Communists.

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